

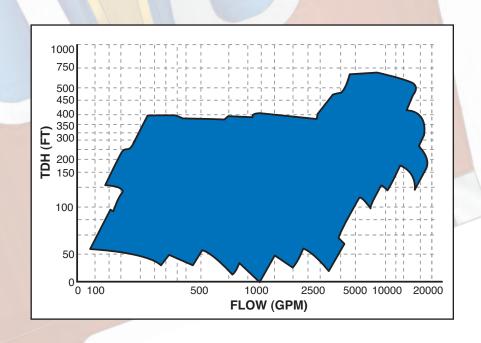
# 140 Years of Pump Manufacturing

American-Marsh Pumps, one of the oldest pump lines in America, are pump products steeped in heritage. Since 1873, the American-Marsh line of pumps has withstood the test of time. During the last 140 years, over 100 varieties of pumps have been designed and built. From steam pumps to centrifugal pumps, American-Marsh pumps have been built to meet the ever changing requirements of society. Over the last century through continuous product development, more American-Marsh models have been retired than most other pump manufacturers have ever produced. Hundreds of thousands of pumps have been made, all designed for longevity, allowing many of them to continue servicing customers over 50 years.

All of our pumps have three superior characteristics; Design, Performance, and Durability. Our engineering department, which includes an in-house pattern shop, designs each pump so that installation and maintenance is easy. Our performances are engineered to meet or beat the competition in each category. For 140 years, American-Marsh Pumps products have

provided cost effective solutions by building pumps to last. Durability by design is always the most cost effective solution. From engineering and design to final assembly, experienced people control each step of the manufacturing process with quality control inspections performed at each step. All pumps shafts are heat straightened. All impellers are computer balanced. Pump testing is done in our new state of the art test facility. All of these factors ensure you receive consistent quality product every time.

American-Marsh Pumps has provided quality pump products for over 140 years. At American-Marsh Pumps, we know that long life and superior performance are the keys to satisfied customers. By understanding your needs, we can design products that meet those needs. Our product family reflects years of customer input, product upgrades, redesign and new product development, all focused on meeting and exceeding your expectations.





# **Specifications HD & V-HD Series**

Casing: The casing is of high tensile cast iron or other specified material. It is of the volute type with double suction, split on the horizontal centerline with the suction and discharge nozzles cast integral with the lower half. Suction and discharge nozzles are cast of 250 psi dimensions and all models feature a 250 psi case working pressure. Removal of the upper casing gives complete access to the interior of the pump without disturbing piping connections or pump alignment. The casing utilizes Thru-Bore lineboring technology simplifying the machining operation and allows the advantage of using only a few modular rotating assemblies. The Thru-Bore feature allows for the complete removal and replacement of the stuffing boxes without replacing the casing.

V-HD models include the above details but also feature a cast base and cast motor bracket for mounting the pump in the vertical orientation. In addition to this, the lower roller bearing has been removed and replaced by a heavy duty, fluted bushing designed to keep the rotor assembly in perfect alignment. The top single roller bearing has also been modified into a double row taper roller bearing to withstand all axial thrusts generated by the pumping assembly. This enhanced bearing design allows for no roller bearing to be present under the pump where fluid and other contaminants can get into this bearing assembly (as can be seen in competitor pumps).

**Impeller:** The impeller is of the double suction, enclosed, nonoverloading type. It is cast of bronze, or other specified material, machined and polished all over and dynamically and hydraulically balanced. The impeller is keyed to the shaft and secured by locking shaft sleeves. It is adjustable for position.

Case Wear Rings: Case wear rings are made of bronze or other specified material. They are designed with a large wearing surface with the diameter at wearing surface reduced to a minimum, and are firmly secured in the casing by dowel pins.

**Shaft:** The shaft is of 420 stainless steel, ground and polished to a smooth surface. It is designed for extra stiffness to avoid all critical speeds in operation, and is threaded for bearing and impeller lock nuts. The portion of the shaft that is exposed to the pumped fluid is covered with renewable bronze shaft sleeves screwed on against the impeller with right and left hand threads which cannot work loose during operation. Shaft sleeves have external o-rings, in lieu

of internal o-rings, to stop leakage of product.

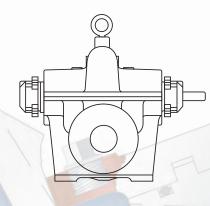
**Stuffing Boxes/Seal Chambers:** The stuffing boxes/seal chambers are extra deep, being designed for packing and lantern ring or mechanical seals. Under each stuffing box is a drip pocket with tapped drain outlet. The stuffing boxes/seal chambers are completely removable and replaceable.

**HD Bearings:** Both the inboard and outboard ball bearings are of the single row, deep groove type, precision grade, with cartridge mounting, permitting the removal of the bearings without removing the top casing assembly. They are of extra large capacity for both radial and thrust loads. The outboard bearing is confined rigidly in the bearing housing to take end thrust, while the inboard bearing is set with sufficient clearance to allow for shaft expansion. All bearings are sized to maintain a minimum of 50,000 hour bearing life. Each bearing is designed for grease lubrication and is provided with a water slinger to prevent leakage from the stuffing box entering the bearing housing. A zerk fitting is furnished for each bearing. Each bearing housing is sealed from water leakage by the use of an oil lip seal. Both bearings can be removed and replaced without removing any other pump assembly component, greatly simplifying the repair process.

V-HD Bearing/Bushing: The inboard, double row, precision grade roller bearing is designed for unplanned loads for both radial and axial thrust loads. This inboard roller bearing is sized to maintain a minimum bearing life of 50,000 hours. This bearing is designed for grease lubrication and is provided with a zerk fitting and oil lip seal to keep contaminates out of the bearing housing. This double row roller bearing can be inspected and removed without removing the top casing assembly.

The outboard bushing is a heavy wall, fluted bronze bushing designed to keep the rotor assembly in perfect alignment. This bushing is product lubricated standard but can be set up to accept external lubrication upon request. Several different Class clearances can be engineered depending upon fluid cleanliness. The significant advantage to this bushing design is that no grease lubricated, roller bearing is present under the pump assembly where leakage from the casing could cause contamination and eventual bearing failure. This bushing design allows for the vertical split case pump to be packed or mechanically sealed.

# Model HD Pump





Double Suction Impeller

Sizes: 2" to 32+"

Flows: 30,000+ GPM

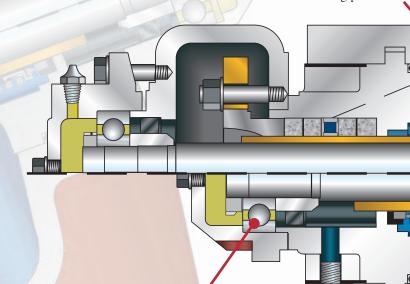
Heads: 550 Feet Temp: 250° F

#### Services:

- Merospace Aerospace
- Building Trades
- **W** Chemical
- General Industry
- **Marine**
- Mining & Aggregate
- Oil & Gas
- Power Generation
- Petro-Chemical
- **Pharmaceutical**
- Pulp & Paper
- **Semiconductor**
- Water & Wastewater

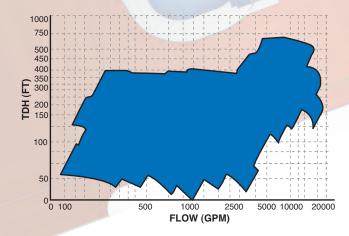
#### **Heavy Duty Casing**

- Standard ASTM A48 Class 30 cast iron
- Horizontally split for easy access
- Casing has Thru-Bore which allows the removal of the entire rotating assembly, including both stuffing boxes, and the entire bearing housing assemblies
- Heavy wall thickness to provide generous corrosion allowance and high working pressures
- Volute type casing with double suction provides suction and discharge nozzles cast integral with the lower half of the casing
- Suction and discharge connections are in lower half, allowing removal or inspection of upper half and rotating assembly without disturbing piping or driver
- Alternate metallurgy available upon request
- Standard 250 lb case working pressure



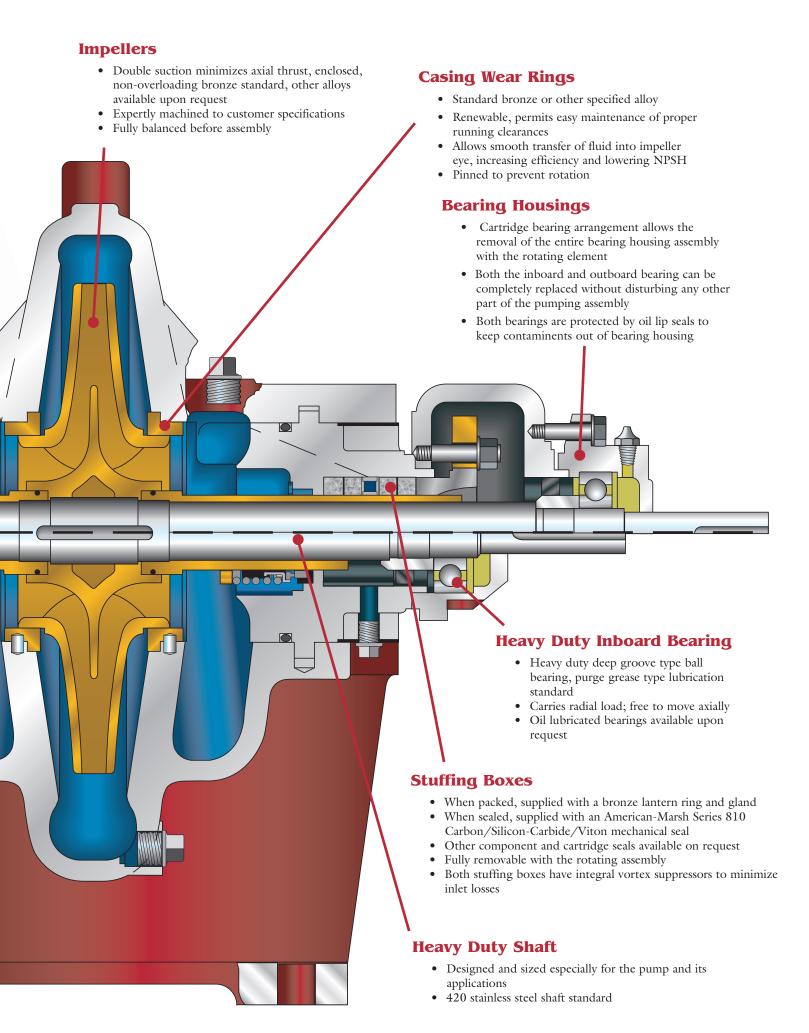
# **Heavy Duty Outboard Bearing**

- Heavy duty deep groove type ball thrust bearing, purge grease type lubrication standard
- Fixed rigidly in housing to take end thrust loads
- Maintains impeller in central position
- Oil lubricated bearings available upon request

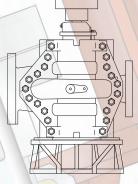


#### **Shaft Sleeves**

 Standard - replaceable bronze sleeves protect shaft from wear and corrosion



# Model V-HD Pump



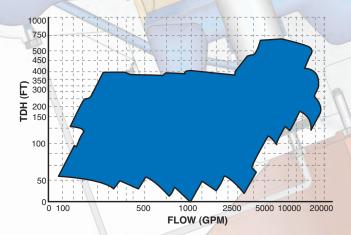
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Flows: 30,000+ GPM

Heads: 550 Feet Temp: 250° F

#### Services:

- **Aerospace**
- Building Trades
- **Chemical**
- General Industry
- **Marine**
- Mining & Aggregate
- Oil & Gas
- Power Generation
- **Petro-Chemical**
- **Pharmaceutical**
- Pulp & Paper
- Semiconductor
- **Water & Wastewater**



Double Suction Impeller

### **Casing Wear Rings**

- Standard bronze or other specified alloy
- Renewable, permits easy maintenance of proper running clearances
- Pinned to prevent rotation

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- Standard 250 lb case working pressure

### **Impellers**

- Double suction minimizes axial thrust, enclosed, non-overloading bronze standard, other alloys available
- Expertly machined to customer specifications
- Fully balanced before assembly

# **Lower Bearing Housing**

- Engineered, heavy duty bushing designed to support the rotating assembly and offset radial forces generated by the rotating assembly
- Superior design as compared to competition because no roller bearing exists in this location
- Fluid entering the lower roller bearing housing is a number one cause that competitor pumps fail
- The bearing can be supplied in optional material or hardened based on customer application
- The bearing can be fluted on abrasive applications allowing for a superior method of lubrication
- Internal and external flushing is standard on the lower bearing housing
- If the internal fluid is not suitable for flushing the housing can be set up to accept external fluid



• Assemblies can be close- or flex-coupled engineered to customer specifications

#### **Heavy Duty Shaft**

- Designed and sized especially for the pump and its applications
- 420 stainless steel shaft standard

### **Upper Bearing Housing**

- Heavy duty deep groove type, double row bearing, purge grease type lubrication standard and is cartridge mounted to permit easy removal of rotating element
- Double row roller bearing is protected by a lip seal to keep contaminates out of bearing housing
- Double row bearing carries both the radial and axial forces generated by the rotating assembly

#### **Stuffing Box**

- When packed, supplied with a bronze lantern ring and gland
- When sealed, supplied with an American-Marsh Series 810 Carbon/Silicon-Carbide/Viton mechanical seal
- Other component and cartridge seals available on request

#### **Shaft Sleeve**

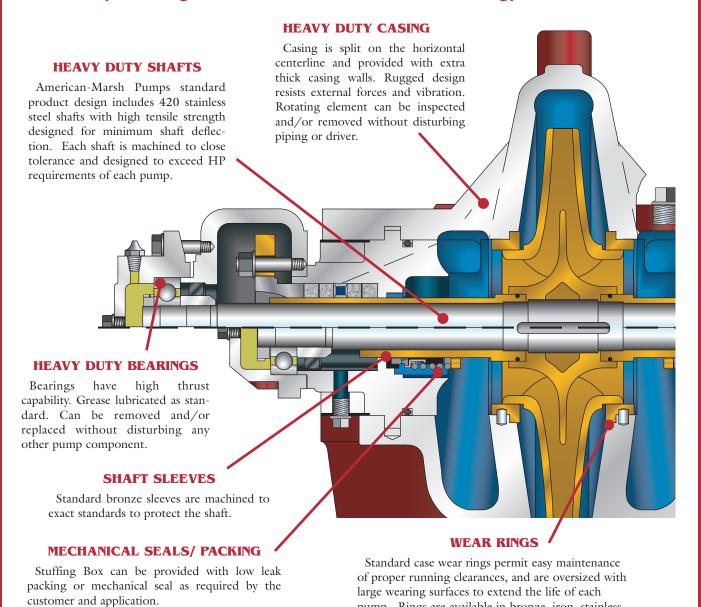
 Standard - replaceable bronze sleeve protects shaft from wear and corrosion

# **Heavy Duty Integral Base**

- Cast or fabricated steel designed and sized for the pump and its application
- The base can be designed for close-coupled or flexcoupled, shaft driven driver

Our long tradition of quality pump manufacturing began in 1873 making us one of the first pump manufacturers in this country. American-Marsh Pumps provides the user dependability and durability. Durability by design is always the most cost effective solution.

# Nearly all designs are available in alternate metallurgy constructions.



#### OTHER PUMP PRODUCTS

MULTI-STAGE	END SUCTION	VERTICAL SUMP	VERTICAL TURBINE	SELF PRIMER
To 8" Discharge	To 12" Discharge	To: 12" discharge	To 42+" Bowl	To 12" Discharge
2500+ GPM, 2500'	9000 GPM, 450'	9000 GPM, 985'	30,000+ GPM, 2500'	6400 GPM, 200'

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